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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

Kozlowski, A. *et al.*

APPLICATION No.: 10/751,274

FILED: December 31, 2003

FOR: HYDROLYTICALLY STABLE MALEIMIDE-  
TERMINATED POLYMERS

EXAMINER: Rabago, Roberto

ART UNIT: 1713

CONF. No.: 7476

**PETITION FOR 2-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

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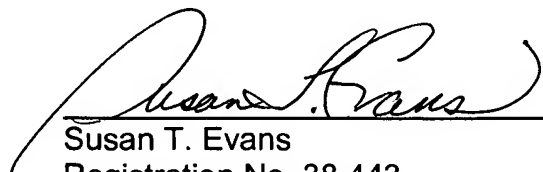
Sir:

Applicants petition for a 2-Month Extension of Time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action, extending the period for response to **March 11, 2007**.

- ☒ Fee (37 CFR § 1.17(a) (2)): ☒ Large Entity: \$450.00
- ☒ A check for \$450.00 covering the above fee is enclosed.
- ☒ Applicants petition for an additional Extension of Time if necessary for timely filing of this petition and enclosures.
- ☒ Please charge any underpayment for timely consideration of this paper to Deposit Account No. 50-2207.

Respectfully submitted,

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